

# Nature Center Activities

## Turkey Run State Park

Sunday, December 6

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – Help us put out seed & suet for the birds & squirrels, & then watch through the wildlife window as they eat and interact. Nature Center.

**10:30am Scenic National Parks** – Enjoy a tour of some of our most beautiful national parks. This 40-minute video shows at the nature center.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – Discover how easy it is to find constellations and planets in the night sky. This free 40-minute program features Orion. *Reservations recommended on weekends.*

Mon, Thurs, & Fri, Dec. 7 & 10-11

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See above.

Tuesday & Wednesday, Dec. 8 & 9

Nature Center CLOSED

Saturday, December 12

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous.

**10:30am Snow Moon Tidings** – Discover the significance of the December full moon in Colonial and Native American cultures, and how to use binoculars to probe the phases and features of this Snow Moon. 45-min. program. Nature Center.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See previous listing. *Reservations recommended.*

**\*Healthy Parks – Healthy People:** Get “INShape” with us or discover how to keep a state park healthy.

Children under the age of 14 must be with an adult when attending programs or visiting the nature center.

Sunday, December 13

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous.

**10:30am The Spirit Of The Eagle** – This 30-minute family video shows the life of a bald eagle through the eyes of Native American children. Nature Center.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See previous listing. *Reservations recommended.*

Mon, Thurs & Fri, Dec. 14 & 17-18

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See above.

Tues. and Wed., December 15 and 16

Nature Center CLOSED

Saturday, December 19

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See above.

**\*10:30am Winter Wonderland Hike** – Meet at the nature center to experience the peaceful beauty of winter through birds, hemlock trees and the stillness of a winter morning. 1-hour easy hike.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See previous listing. *Reservations recommended.*

Sunday, December 20

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous.

**10:30am In These Ancient Trees** – View some of the oldest trees on earth during a 35-minute video at the nature center.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See previous listing. *Reservations recommended.*

Monday & Thursday, Dec. 21 & 24

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See above.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See above.

Tues, Wed & Fri, Dec 22, 23 & 25

Nature Center CLOSED

**MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!**



Saturday, December 26

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous listing.

**10:30-11:30am Weaving Workshop** – Pair an ancient weaving technique with a modern twist – soda straws – to make your own bookmark! Each bookmark takes about 25 minutes. Nature Center.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See previous listing. *Reservations recommended.*

Sunday, December 27

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous listing.

**10:30am Jewels of the Blue** – Enjoy a close look at the beautiful and vocal Eastern Bluebird in a 30-minute video. Nature Center.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See previous listing. *Reservations recommended.*

**Earn pins, kerchiefs, patches & more!**  
**Ask about the**  
**Hoosier Quest Program**  
**at the nature center.**

Mon, Thurs & Fri, Dec. 28, 31 & Jan 1

Nature Center OPEN 10am-4:30pm EST

**\*10am Help Feed The Birds** – See previous listing.

**2pm Planetarium Star Show** – See previous listing

Tuesday & Wednesday, Dec. 29 & 30

Nature Center CLOSED

**Park Office:** 765-597-2635

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### STAFF:

#### Managers:

Gary Warmouth, Property Manager  
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#### Interpretive Naturalists:

Barbara Cummings  
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#### Turkey Run Inn General Manager:

Terry Brush

#### For additional interpretive programs:

<http://www.in.gov/dnr/parklake/2420.htm>